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TURF TOPICS.

The German mail arrived to-day from he North bringing the Shanghai contingent for the Races. Casting my eye over the list of passengers I find these names, Messrs W. G. Pirie, O. R. Burkill, T. W. Sutterle, M. Speelman, R. C. Toeg, Barff, A. A. Brady, G. Magee and J. K. Hutton. Mr Schnorr, who I understand will ride Mr Friesland's ponies, I believe will not be here till two or three days before the Races.

This morning was the worst so far turfites have had to put up with this training meason. Thick for and drizzle early, clearer about eight, and heavy rains while the last two or three ponies were put through their paces.

The outside course being closed the ponies had to splash their way through the water that lay like a sheet on the sand track. The going, nevertheless, was fairly fast, as is shown by Jubilee Rose's time-2.52 for a mile and a quarter, the last quarter being done in someting under 31 seconds.

The following were the times taken :-OLD PONIES.

Kingston, one mile, 35, 1.68, 1.42, 2.17%. Jubilee Rose, one mile and a quarter, 2.52], last quarter 30].
Sidier Dhu, one mile and a half, 43, —, 1,581, 2,28, 3,062, 3,461. Resignation, one mile, 41, 1.21, 1.55,

Soudan, one mile, 34, 1.10, 1.49, 2.21. Astral, one mile, last half, 35%, 1.10%. Plym, one mile, last three quarters, 35, 1.082, 1.42. Vine, three quarters, 44, 1.232, 1.58.

Kirkwood, three quarters, 40, 1.15?, DERBY GRIFFING. Compton, one mile, 35 1.08, 1.42, 2.173.

Argyll, three quarters, last half, 1.094. Fugitive II, one mile, last three quarters, 35, 1.08, 1.42. Dart, one mile, 2.20. Fernie and Garth, three quarters, 33,

1.04%, 1.39. Fernie won by a neck. SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS. Kirton, one mile, 34, 1.10, 1.49, 2.21.

35, 1.11, 1.46. Blacksheen, one mile, last three-quarters, 35, 1.12, 1.58. Mummery, one mile, 41, 1.21, 1.55, 2.28. Horatio, one mile, 39, 1.16, 1.49, 2.241.

Kamranh, one mile and a half, 43,-, 1.583, 2.23, 3 062, 3.443. Sirder, one mile, last three-quarters, 35%, 1.11%, 1.45%. Bystander and Sturdy, three quarters,

35, 1.082, 1.432. Highland Laddie, one mile, last three quarters, 37, 1.112, 1.452.
Asteroid, one mile and a quarter, last mile, 36, 1.12, 1.47%, 2.22.

Lyemun, one mile, last three quarters, 37, 1.14, 1.51. Dunkerry, one mile and a half, last mile, 39, 1.20, 1 56%, 2.30%. Little Nemo, half mile, 1.10.

Macscrew, one mile, 2.20. Gambler, one mile, last three quarters, 38, 1.15, 1.51. Graystone and Constant, half mile, 331, Butcher, one mile, -, -, 1.44, 2.22.

NOTES FROM MACAO.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Macao, February 8. A mile or so from the barrier gates the

Chinese have set up a wireless telegraph station at Casa Branca and messages are being exchanged with Canton and Fu Mun, the fort which overlooks the mouth of the Bocca Tigre river. Communication has also been made with Chinese gunboats stationed at sundry points on the Southern coast and which are fitted with an up-todate equipment. The station is in charge of two young natives who were educated in Japan and speak fluently both English D.D. SALY and Chinese with a smattering of French. Rumour has it that the wireless system is

making rapid strides throughout China. The relief forces, numbering 120 men, in charge of Lieut. Aguist transhipped from the N. D. S. S. Keing Wilhelm at | RAVES Hengkong for Canton at 9 r. M. Singapore were landed here vesterday afternoon at about 3 p.m. An outbreak of SUNDAY, TUESDAY & THURSDAY, massles on the way up laid ten of the men low. They were conveyed at once in Leaves Canton for Hongkong at 5.30 r.m. on stretchers to the military hospital while Leaves Canton for Hongkong at 5.30 r.m. on the remainder were marched off to barracks | MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & FRIDAY. to the strains of the garrison band. Later in the evening the same vessel took in 120 time expired men. 72 bound for home and

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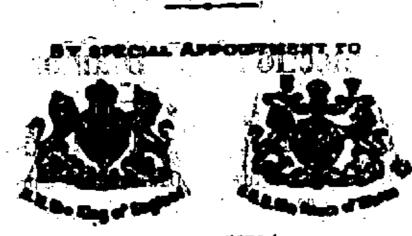
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most interesting. Dealing with Hankow and its immediate neighbourhood the lecturer said that the trains from that place travelled at about 35 miles an hour. Along the line the Europeanlanguage spoken was French. The journey was always full of interest. Sometimes one naw ploughing being done with en ox and an ass; perhaps an ox and a pony, or a pony and an ass. Occasionally SOLE AGENTS for KISHIDAKE, MI. one or two tien would be yoked with the animals. The walled towns and villages, the steel bridge two miles in length—over the Yellow River, were described. Special attention is invited to the fact | Speaking of the Northern Chinese he that the well-known Coal Mine MUTABE, a said they were as different from the Southerners as Scotchmen from Italians. They saw some men over air feet in height-The Ming tombs were described, as also was a portion of the Great Wall. He met the companion of an explorer who had examined the wall from the sea to Peking, and was then continuing to the West end in Tibet. His figures for the building of the wall were one million men for ten years. In places the wall was inaccessible, and it was surprising how it was buit in such high places. From Newchwang to Dalny the journey was through beautiful countrycultivated fields, and growing crops, flourishing in rich soil. Dalny was as yet a great commercial failure. When he asked what was one prominent building he was told "It was a Russian church, and is now a Japanese school." That reply contained the indication of the direction of the movements of Japan. A visit was made to Port Arthur, and to the scenes of the memorable siege. Many houses still showed their wounds, magnificent buildings under construction by the Russians had not had a stone or brick added since the Russians stopped work on them. A trip through Korea was described. These northern people did not seem to possess either the shrewdness of the Chinaman or the energy of the Japanese. They were spiritless. Korea was the country of the dandy. The tophatted, white-robed Korean had but little time for work after the day's

FIREWORKS AT A FUNERAL.

Objections to Chinese Rites at Liverpool.

worry of keeping his long tobacco pipe in

Some strange rites performed at recent Chinese funerals in Anfield Cemetery, Liverpool, are described in a report from the city engineer, which has been submitted to the Liverpool Burials Committee. In one case the mourners, it was stated,

assembled round the grave, and after burning matches poured into it a quantity of whisky. Food and fruit were then placed in the grave, and a series of incantations were chanted.

In another case a heap of paper was placed at the foot of the grave and set on fire. Articles of food, including cooked pork and chickens, were arranged on the 178 grave, and a fusillade of fireworks concluded the ceremony.

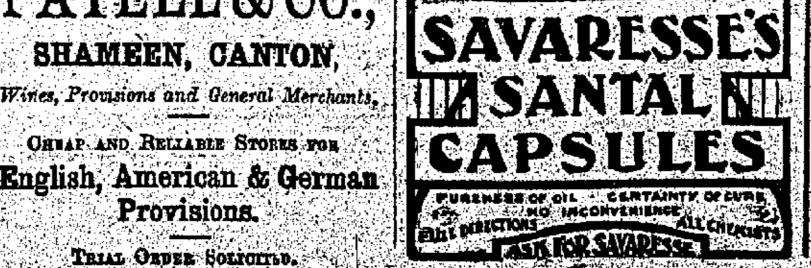
chiefly in the litter of burnt paper which was left scattered around and in the noise made by the fireworks.

In was explained that in the second case the Chineman had married a British wife who belonged to the Church of England. She bought a grave in consecrated ground, and her husband had been buried according to the Church of England ceremonial. His friends afterwards performed their own

The committee decided to instruct the city engineer to select a special site for Chinese funerals

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· .	A PROPERTY AND A STORY OF THE PARTY OF THE P	CAPITAL contributed by CHINESE	Auctioneer.	left side of the river, the people go by the name of Changains, which Mr Ferguson	Suet, Beef,—Sang Ngan Yau 20 生生油 Mutton,—Sang Yeung Yau 24 生学油	Grape,—Bang Po Tai Tas
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٠.	NEDERLANDSOHE HANDEE-	Irkutak Nicolajevak Vladivostock Kalgan Ouliasitai Yokohama Kashgar Ourga Zeiskala		to Peking to pay tribute. He is one of the Some tribe. The acquaintance was renew-	Musk Deer, Wong Keng Sich \$5.50	Medium size,—Cheung Yeh Cho da 10 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11
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		Published to sait the Departure	These Films have never been shown in	forty-eight kingdoms, and we were very strong. Then the Chinese began to get	Dog Fight -Tit. Tu Sh	Parsley,—Kun Cho per b 35
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Vœux Road. 2.30 p.m .-- Auction of Household Furni ture, &c., at 77, Wyndham Street. Goods per Inaba Maru not cleared on and, in spite of his years, Mr. WILLIAM this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, February 12:-10 a.m.—Booking for 'A Country Girl' 9.15 p.m .- Choir Concert at City Hall. Goods per Constantia undelivered after their perseverance and powers. Mr. this date subject to rent. Goods per Siberia undelivered at Noon on this date subject to rent.

SATURDAY, February 13 :--8 p.m.—Devonian Dinner at Hongkons Goods per Nippon Maru undelivered at noon on this date subject to rent.

Tuesday, February 16:Hongkong Jockey Club Race Meeting. FRIDAY, February 19:-

9 p.m .- Performance by Hongkons Amateur Dramatic Club in City Hall. SATURDAY, February 20:-Noon .- Meeting of The Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at the

City Hall. MONDAY, February 22:-Noon-Meeting of Hongsone & Whampos Dock Co., at Co.'s Offices
Noon-Tenders for the supply of Provi-Humphry Ward, its modified form of sions will be received by Head Quarter

Offices, Victoria Barracks, FRIDAY, February 26:--Noon-Tenders for the supply of Provisions will be received by Deputy Vic-

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addressed to THE EDITOR.

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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1909.

LAST YEAR'S BOOKS. official returns collected by the human blood. But he also wrote Publishers' Circular, to look at the "Sheaves" and "The Climber," and the statistics of the book trade in 1908. It first-named story has been well declared seems that 7512 new books were pub- to be as brave and as honest a book as this morning for throwing rubbish into the lished in the course of the year, which about 200 fewer than in 1907, which was a record year. Fiction in all its departments heads the list, though this can scarcely be called a romantic age, with 1819 new claimants to public attention. Books in the department of art and science stand next, though the interval is marked, with 950 aids to interpretation. Third in the list stand religion and philosophy, with volumes, and then come history and biography, which have kept the printing press busy with the production of 698 books. Educational works, in strict application of the term and here have fired upon this and that but of of course, sollege and school boo

are singularioners represented in the

volumes. Geography and travel by ing particular needs or answering some NEW land and sea have to their oredit 409 expectations more or less to the full. books. There has been an increase. In the realm of belles lettres nothing though not very marked, in volumes of very striking was produced. It was not verse and books devoted to the drams, a year for the giants. The flood of books and also in the year-books, manuals of about NaroLEON and his times still conreference, and the like issued in the tinues at the full; there have been many year, and a slight drop in the number of good biographies, memoirs, and books works the theme of which is medicine of travel, while Mr Anchuain Ross Color surgery, political and social economy QUHOUN'S brilliantly written story of his belles lettres, and essays. The books life stands out head and shoulders above

that refuse stoutly to be classified except its fellows. Of poetry the year was as "miscellaneous," on the contrary, practically blank of anything beyond have risen from 363 in 1907 to 430 in the mediocre. There are a great many 879 1908, but it is certainly significant sweet singers at the present time, but that in neither of these departments none of them seem to rise to the needs during the last two years have any such of the hour or to strike a really disliterary productions gone into a second tinctive note. Has the age grown too In regard to the writers of fiction it It would almost seem so. Curiously will be noticed that, Mr. Rudyand enough the best selling book of last KIPLING for yet another twelve months year had nothing to do with literature: has been silent; Mr. George Merepita it was the collection of the Queen's

has been represented by nothing except Photographs, which went off "like hot a few poems of varying quality and im- cakes," though country booksellers are pressiveness; while the younger men- said to have lost a penny-half-penny on men like Mr. Joseff Conrad, Mr. John each copy, owing to the onerous terms GALSWORTHY, Mr MARMADUKE PICKTHALL, of the publishers. De Morgan-have done little to justify the lefty expectations that from time to Saturday, 20th inst., at noon. time their admirers have founded upon HALL CAINE has been animated and recharging. voluble-but only in the direction of the study of his own friends and achievements and in the shadows of the brokers from this month.

footlights. Miss MARIE CORELLI also has published a novel, "Holy Orders." Perhaps Mrs. Humphrer Ward's "Diana Mallory" stands out as the kong Hotel on Friday, 26th instant, principal novel of the year. No enthusiasm followed its immediate publication, although after a while men

and women began to recognise its sincerity, its observation, and, for Mrs. moral earnestness. But her heroine, Diana, was, after all, a real creature of

came dangerously near to the level of a

old admirer. In point of view of sales

the Baroness Orczy, perhaps, holds the

to the same vogue as "The Scarlet

readers of the present day. Mr. RIDER

The Ghost Kings," while Mr. EDEN

he faces a problem that few of his con-

temporaries would dare to probe-a

blessedness on a girl brought up in an

finger tips. Mr C. F. Benson had his

own private jest in the issue of a sensa-

tional story named "The Blotting Book"

that can give points to the ordinary

products of genuine and alleged "mas-

ters of mystery" who traffic in the de-

he has ever written. It yields a wonder-

ful picture of a woman, who, after an

seventeen years younger than herself,

that happened to both husband and

wife when love's first raptures were

done with and they had to stand alone

unhappy married life, determined

pot-boiler, and disappointed many

record for the year 1908,

tualling Store Office, H.M. Naval Yard. recreted cowardice in his heart rang unhappy Queen's birth. deep and true. A great panorama of political life of the present day was also unrolled in the story Mr. Manion Minister for Foreign Affairs, speaking in CRAWFORD'S final pendant to the Soprano the Japanese House of Representatives, triology, it must be acknowledged,

an sympathetically China's reforms and is Elusive Pimpernel" selling by tens of thousands. The book belongs to Canada and America. Count Komura Pimpernel," hence its appeal, we sup-

pose, to the general mass of fiction in 1910. Of the N.Y.K.S. Mishima Maru, which HAGGARD has scored another success with leaves Hongkong at daylight on Thursday en route for London, the Kobe Herald says:—She is certainly a magnificent vessel PHILLIOTS materially increased his hold -a credit alike to designers and builders. on the public goodwill with "A Virgin Her passenger accommodation is superior to anything seen here for some time past, every effort having been made to ensure a maximum of comfort and safety. The main saloon is on the main deck, with seats for 80, and above are a sumptuously furnished drawing room for ladies and a social hallproblem of the mental effects of single where, by the way, smoking is allowed. While the Mishima is in most respects sister ship to the Kamo, many of her obscure rural district, and alive to the fittings reveal the eagerness of her owners to introduce the latest improvements. The result is that in some respects the Mishima is likely to prove even a greater favourite than the Kamo Maru.

ITEMS AT THE COURTS.

Nine native owners of rickshaws were It is now possible, thanks to the tails of crimes and in the shedding of fined \$3 each, at the Magistracy, to-day, for allowing their rickshaws to remain out side their premises.

waters of the Colony on the 8th inst.

the house of Mr W. Logan at No 4 Centempt the fates again and wedded a man tury Crescent and stealing articles to the value of \$106. One was discharged and other was sentenced to six months' imprisonment besides a similar penalty of a charge of returning from banishment. and of the grim, gaunt, inevitable things

> JUBILEE SERVICE AT THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CATHEDRAL

face to face with the "god of things as they are." To many Mrs. Flora Annua calebrating the closing of the Jubiles year STEEL'S VOLY unusual and exceedingly of a wonderful event which took place in the grotto of Massabielle in Lourdes emidite 'Prince of Dreamers' will re-February 11, 1858, and in connection with this event a sciema High Mass will be main as a pleasant memory of the year. hub of course individual tastes will on Thursday, at 7 30 a.m. In the evening ard At the Hole Borgament will be half eightea bradrel old sortele se select

RACE.

(Exclusive Service supplied by Router, eia Bombay.)

LONDON, February 8. materialistic to nurture good poetry? easily.

THE YALU DISTRICT

(Wah Tex Yat Po's Service.)

PEKING, February 8. other provinces, Chu Hsi-chang, Viceroy acknowledged that undue speed in of Manchuria, has asked the Throne that \$600,000 be appropriated yearly to furnish an efficient up-to-date govern-

A NEW VICEROYALTY

(Wah Ter Yat Po's Service.) PEKING, February 8. Mr Edison has perfected a battery for working a street car a whole day without

The shipping companies have accepted Mr D. D. Gazdar, as one of the freight

It is proposed to hold the annual dinner of the Institution of Engineers and (Wah Ts: Yat Po's Service.) Shipbuilders of Hongkong in the Hong-

passed a vote of consure on President Roosevelt and has urged the people of California to persist in their anti-Japanese legislation.

Miss Cecily Horner, who was married in London lately, wore a lace veil which has been in her family for generations, and which was worked for Mary Queen of Scots. Strangely enough the present bride wore it on the 366th anniversary of the

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Bank n eting is advertised for

N. C. Daily News says that Count Komura | direct control of the Board, still further convinced of the efficacy of the Alliance. Japan, he added, regards most determined to adhere to the policy of the open door and equal opportunities. He urged the concentration of Japanese subjects in one direction with a view to the extension of the area requiring Japan's exploitation and thus restricting emigration announced that Japan would enforce the abrogation of existing commercial treaties a step.

Two coolies were charged at the Mayistracy, to-day, with breaking and entering

The Roman Catholic community are seletrated at the Roman Catholis Cathedral,

YORK MARATHON

LONGBOAT BEATS SHRUBB.

In the Marathon Race at New York, Longboat, the Canadian Indian, beat Shrubb, the British athlete, after the latter had gained a lead of eight laps. At the twenty-first lap Shrubb was seen to be distressed and dropped into a walk; whereupon Longboat sprinted astoundingly and drew level at the twenty-fifth lap, winning at length

In order to bring the administration of the Yalu district into line with the

The Imperial Government intend to create a new Viceroyalty out of the two provinces of Anhwei and Kiangsi.

PRINCE CHING'S SUC-CESSOR.

PERING, February 8. Prince Ching still continuing sick, The Nevada State Legislature has the Grand Councillors have elected Si voluminous.] Shu to take his position as First Minister in the Council.

FINANCIAL ADMINI-STRATION.

(Wah Tex Yat Po's Service.)

PERING, February 8. The Board of Finance has decided to establish financial departments in all A Tokyo telegram printed by the the Provinces which shall be under the

stated that Great Britain and Japan were NOT READY TO ABOLISH EUNUCHS.

(Wah Ts: Yat Po's Service.)

Pering, February 8. A certain Censor recently sent in a memorial advising that all cunuchs should be banished from the Palace, to which the Prince Regent has replied accompanied by Lord Crewe and Vistbatthe time is not yet rine to take many count Hardings. The weather is that the time is not yet ripe to take such beautiful.

LADY LUGARD'S STEADY

PROGRESS. Dr Jordan's bulletin to day reads:—Her Excellency Lady Lugard's condition steadiy progresses towards convalescence.

HARMSTON'S CIRCUS.

A crowded attendance will no doubt for the Opium Commission, now sitting at Shanghai. All matters at issue, he present at Harmston's Circus to-night says, were decided by the Royal Comwitness the riding competition. There mission of 1895. Sir Frank reiterates are eight entrants and there is sure to be that if our morals are affected by the plenty of fun. The new tent will erected for the matines to-morrow.

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BRITISH TRADE STILL DECLINING.

JANUARY'S DECREASE

(Beckulve Service supplied by Router, via Bontay.)

LONDON, February 8.

The imports into the United Kingdom during January decreased by £2,852,020 and exports decreased by £5,602,721.

BRITISH CABINET AD-JUSTING DIFFERENCES.

ADMIRALTY PROPOSALS ACCEPTED.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail: Copyright protected under

Ordinance 5 of 1894.)

LONDON, February 8. The Daily Chronicle understands that the differences among the members of the Cabinet with regard to the Naval

programme have been adjusted. The Admiralty established the case for its construction programme, but proceeding with the building of the new Dreadnoughts is unnecessary. Consequently the net increase in the Naval Estimates will not exceed £2,500,000.

The newspapers generally anticipatethe laying down of six Dreadnoughts.

DEATH OF A FRENCH POET.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail : Copyright protested under Ordinance 8 of 1894.) LONDON, February 9.

Reuter's Paris correspondent tele-graphs that the Poet Catulle Mendeshas been killed in a railway accident. [Note—Catulle Mendes was bern at Bordeaux on the 22nd May, 1841. He went to Paris and started the Revue Fantaisiste when only 18 years old. The list of his poetical and other writings is very

ANOTHER GREAT ACTOR

DIES. THE YOUNGER COQUELIN.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail: Copyright protected under Ordinance 3 of 1894) LONDON, February 9.

The death is announced of Ernest Alexandra Honore Coquelin. [Note—Coquelin, the younger, was Vice-Doyen of the Comedie Francaise. He was born at Boulogue-sur-mer on the 15 May, 1848. Not only as an actor but as a writer he made his name famous in modern

THE ROYAL VISIT TO

BERLIN. (Reuter's Service to the China Mail:

Copyright protested under Ordinance 3 of 1894) London, February 9. King Edward and Queen Alexandra have started for Berlin, via Dover,

THE OPIUM QUESTION.

PLAIN SPEAKING BY SIR FRANK SWETTENHAM. (Reuter's Service to the China Man :

Copyright protested under Ordinance 3 of 1894.) LONDON, February 9. In a long letter to The Times Sir Frank Swettenham questions the need question other people's money is also-concerned. If the cultivation of the poppy were prohibited in India enormous compensation would probably have to be paid, while Great Britain would be responsible for the finances of

RBIMS Leung Kan, master of a licensed trading junk, was fined \$20, at the Marine Court this morning for throwing subbish into the

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On Sunday night thieves broke into the premises of Mr George Grimble at Pokfulum and got away with \$200 belonging to one of the servants.

COMPANY MEETINGS.

The Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd.

The twentieth ordinary meeting of shareholders of the Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ltd., was held at the Company's Office, Victoria Building, to-day.

Mr T. F. Hough presided and there were present Messrs J. M. E. Machado, A. Rodger, directors, E. B. Shepherd, M. S. Northcote, E. Jones Hughes, J. C. Peter and Mr A. Shelton Hooper, secretary to the general agents.

The Secretary read the notice convening the meeting.

The Chairman said :- Gentlemen-With your permission I purpose taking the report and accounts as read. In submitting quiries from persons wishing to take any of them when they become vacant again. With this increase in the demand we hope that in the present your our revenue may be such as to enable us to revert to the payment of the same dividend which we paid for 1907. The property has been kept in repair at a cost slightly increased on that of the previous year on account of the damage caused by the typhoon of July last. If any shareholder wishes for further information I shall be pleased to

There being no questions the Chairman proposed the adoption of the report and accounts. Mr E. J. Hughes seconded and the motion was carried.

On the motion of Mr E. B. Shepherd acconded by Mr M. S. Northcote the appointment of Mr J. M. E. Machado as director in place of Mr Murray Stewart, who resigned, was confirmed.

Mr J. O. Peter proposed and Mr M. S. Northcote seconded and it was carried that Messrs A. Rodger and J. M. E. Machado be re-elected to the board of directors. Mr E. B. Shepherd proposed that Mr J. Cox Edwards be re-elected auditor. Mr

unanimously. The Chairman :- Thank you for your attendance, gentlemen. Dividend warrants are now ready.

Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd.

The eighty-fifth ordinary half-yearly meeting of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd., was held at the Office of the Company, Hotel Mansions, to-day.

Mr R. Shewau presided and there were present Messrs H. E. Tomkins, H. A. Siebs, F. A. Gomez, C. Lonzmann, G. Friesland, C. H. Ross, E. Fuhrmann, and W. Helms, directors; E. C. Lane, W. Dowley, Chan Sui-ki, E. Georg, F. Ellis, A. H. M. da. Silva, Dr J. W. Noble and is not my clock. others, with the Secretary, Mr W. E.

The Secretary read the notice convening with feelings of great regret that your Directors record the death of their late colleague Mr C. Brodersen, which occurred on the 4th October last at Shanghai. The report and statement of accounts having the hill. A sleepy Indian policeman seembeen in your hands for some days, we with your permission, take them Your directors are again pleased to be able to present a satisfactory result of the half-year's work, and trust that the proposed appropriations of profits will meet with your approval. Nothing of unusual interest has occurred during the period under review. The good state of efficiency. The Heungshan has been fitted with two new tail-shafts and loon Dock in readiness for emergency. The along the Strand to Covent Garden at a only damage of any consequence caused by similar hour while London sleeps. the typhoon of 28th July last was due to The jerk caused by the stopping of my several large cargo lighters crashing into and wrecking the Inner-end and Offices rickshaw roused me from a dream of Home of the Company's jointly-owned Hong- and I found that I had reached the Valley kong wharf. The Company's Wing Lok It was still too dark to see more than the wharf also suffered from a similar cause. The cost of our share of the repairs to the Hougkong wharf appear in the overhead there was already a promise balance sheet, while the cost of repairs to dawn. A boy appeared with coffee and the Wing Lok wharf amounting to \$1,100, has been debited to special repairs fund. Loans on mortgage have been adjusted in ac dawn crept on. As soon as it was light cordance with a recent survey and revaluation by the company's surveyors, Messrs Palmer and Turner. The company's funds invested in public companies are, in the the course. The knowing ones could opinion of your board, all well secured, and tell its name by its shape or its action, as is usual, the values of all investments | while to an outsider like myself it appeared | not finish, have been adjusted in accordance with the a more moving blur in the mist which lay quotations current at the end of the year. | like a white blanket on the grass. The loss in exchange of Chinese subsidiary Before the sun looked over the hill coins during the six, months under review galloping was in full swing and quite amounted to \$21,510.90. and it seems a number of spectators had gathered hopeless for us to look for remedial on the terrace. Three or four ladies measures from the Governments con- were there, well wrapped up in furs, corned. It has been argued that we might watching for husband or brother or raise our passage rates, but shareholders friend to ride past. A group of men will readily understand that, with severe with stop watches and pencils were competition and great trade depression, taking notes of the times of the penies. there is a limit to that means of recouping Now and then an owner would call out anything else that calls for particular man with a big overcoat over his riding Dorothy ... comment, but should any sharsholders kit would come santering up, whip in Asthore zequire any further information I shall hand, to enquire whether his pony had Ariel have pleasure in answering any question. made good time that day. Then the Joan...
There being no questions, the Chairman merits or demerits of this grey or that

E. C. Lane seconded and the motion was on that most important creature—the Toniette ...

for your sitendance.

year than over before. That's because to his passe, the spectators had gone their to a good thing beilds up their sealth, and several ways to work on to breakher sufficient toll their triangle about it.

ADDITIONAL CHARGES OF STEALING.

Frank Aquino, who appeared at the Magistracy, on Saturday, on a number of charges was again brought up this morning, charged with additional cases of theft. They were as follows: one pair of binoculars, value \$20, from the steam launch Baisy, the property of the Harbour department. one rowing boat, value \$40, belonging to Ah King; one circulating pump, value \$8.50, belonging to Harmston's Circus; one revolver and fifty rounds of ammunition. value \$10, the property of Messra Schmidt and Co., one looking glass, value 50 cents, belonging to Mr W. Emberley of the Soldiers and Sailors Home, and one class Button and Merit Certificate. Japanese rickshaw, value \$54, the property of H. Dobashi, of 171 Wanchai Road. The

ANOTHER ARMED ROBBERY.

The story of an armed robbery of a When she said that she had none they seized hold of her and tore her bangles off her wrists and in the struggle witness was stabbed in the left arm and beaten with knives about the head, the prisoner saying "You must cut her to get rid of her. The robbers also had ropes with them. When witness shouted for help no one came for some time as the robbers had previously tied all the neighbours' doors. Several articles belonging to the robbers were found in the house. The case was adjourned.

A MORNING VISIT TO THE RACE-COURSE.

By an Outsider.

(Specially written for the "CHINA MAIL A horrible whirring and buzzing dragged Peter seconded and the motion was carried me suddenly from the depths of slumber with a feeling that some appalling catastrophe was taking place. I opened my Post Office will be ready to receive the eyes. My room was in pitch darkness. The maddening noise continued and remembered that in a weak moment, I had decided to go down to the Happy Valley before breakfast to see the ponies galloped on the race-course. It was imperative to stop the beastly thing at once, or I should surely go mad. So, reluctantly, I bestirred myself, struck a light and shied a pillow at the offending clock, whose hands stood at five. It fell with a crash to the floor and the alarum stopped abruptly. Probably that was the end of its useful career, but no matter, it

By this time I was thoroughly roused and not many minutes later was cautiously creeping down stairs. Outside the air struck | been now added to the list of subjects that The Chairman said :- Gentlemen, -It is chill. The winking stars above seemed mir rored by the countless lights in the harbour below. My footsteps sounded startlingly loud in the stillness, as I tramped down ed the only other being in Hongkong who be crased from the Entry Form of such a was awake, until I reached Queen's Road candidate, and either Chinese (for Modern and, getting into a rickshow, was whirled Chinese), and Classical Chinese, be sub Tapley and the Cheeryble Brothers. The Rescuer, by Percy White. away eastward. A few other rickshaws bound in the same direction were taking owners, riders, or press men to the i.e. the Confucian Analects. The paper the practice of neighbourly love. If we centre of attraction—the race-course. steamers of the fleet have been navigated. Here and there on the way we passed with care and safety, and maintained in a Chinese shops open and lighted up and English into Chinese, as in the case of could see a sleepy Chinaman or two taking Italian and Spanish. propellers, the cost of which has been their morning chow. A thin stream of defrayed out of the special repairs fund. coolies, men and wemen, moved towards In consequence of a slight fracture shewing, the town and the markets, carrying baskets steamer Honam a new shaft was ordered of vegetables, and there came to my mind from England and is now at the Kow- the heavily laden market carts as they pass

> outline of the hills against the sky but rolls and while I disposed of these the enough to distinguish anything one could Sirius see the first pony being trotted round Liza

sees. I do not think that there is directions to a rider as he trotted by or a proposed the adoption of the report and roan would be discussed and its chances Spray.

Statement of accounts as presented. Mr commented upon. All were alike intent Beatrice....

The confirmation of the appointment Have these intelligent beasts any notion of Messrs H. E. Tomkins, R. Fuhrmann, of their own value, I wonder. Do the H. A. Siebs as directors was proposed by coatly Derby ponies turn up a scornful Mr F. Eliis and seconded by Mr E. Georg. nose at the "subs?" At any rate there
This was also carried.

It was proposed by Mr W. Dowley, and aroused in the onlookers. The enthusiasm seconded by Mr Chan Sui ki that Mesers infected even an outsider like myself, and This motion was unanimously carried. 'in the know' were lost on me, business of the mosting, gentlemen. Lat the thud of the flying hoofs as singly or Dividend warrants are now ready and may in couples the popies came galloging past, be obtained upon application. Thank you while the ching of the stop-watches and the busy pencils recorded the achievements of ORK Eveny Yaar. -- More people take winet be got through and by about half past
Stearns Wine of God Liver Oil every eight the last pony had been put through

BRAVERY REWARDED.

At the Talshan Station of the Kowloon gigmen were presented with various hon- of life." A lawyer asked Jesus how he ours in recognition of their bravery during | could inherit eternal life. The idea had the typhcon of July 27-28, 1908.

lows :- Li Chiang-lui-Sixth class Button and Merit Certificate. Hu Jung Hu Choo, Chang Ken, Yeh Chen, Yin Ping, Yeh | Yueh, Teng Fu, Li Yu, Huang Mau, Hu K'o, Chung Yun and Huang Ta-Eighth

BALL AT THE KING EDWARD HOTEL.

evening entertained a number of friends at a Master Teacher. When the lawyer desperate character was told before Mr the King Edward Hotel. Dancing was answered compactly and comprehensively, J. R. Wood, at the Magistracy, this after- indulged in, the small dining room being Jesus merely responded that he was correct out that a number of our houses were noon, when a native was placed in the dock used for the occasion. Mr Gee, the man- and behaving so all would be well. Indeed vacant and this state of affairs continued on a charge of armed robbery at Tsui Hung ager, very ably arranged the decorations be would live the life of the ages now-no for some little time notwithstanding village, and stealing from a woman a pair with the invaluable assistance of Signal waiting until Death ushered him into an asking. I am however now pleased to of bangles value \$4. The story of the Boatswain Cubitt and the Signal Staff of other world. asking. I am nowever now pressed to the effect that H.M.S. Bedford. The music was supplied What is life—eternal life? It is not be able to inform you that all our complainant was to the effect that H.M.S. Bedford. The music was supplied What is life—eternal life? It is not houses are occupied, and we have on shortly after midnight five robbers came by Mr Machado's string band and amongst merely a continuance of existence or enterto her house and having broken the those invited were:-Vice-Admiral Sir inginto an extended existence with changed door open they asked her for money. Hedworth Lambton, His Excellency Major- conditions. It is the achievement of the Hon. Mr W. Rees Davies, K.C., Captains putting force into good motives; more o Gresson and Mr and Mrs J. R. M. Smith.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE CLOCK TOWER.

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL.") Sig. I suppose the Colonial Secretary wished to give the Colony a fairly lengthy notice of the approaching demise of the Clock Tower in Queen's Road so that we can all make arrangements to attend th Wake; but could be tell us when the new Clock? Judging by the present rate of progress on Government building contracts the date may be set down for the Greek Kalends and those who call the removaof the Clock Tower an act of vandalism may rest their souls in patience for many a year yet. Yours truly.

DIOGENES. Hongkong, Feb. 9.

CHINESE AT THE OXFORD LOCALS.

(To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL.) Sm.—In continuation of my letter to you of 26th October last, I should like to say that Classical Chinese for Seniors only, and Modern Chinese for Juniors only have may be taken at the Hongkong Centre.

The Oxford Delegates have not had special Entry Forms printed for the use of those local candidates who wish to take Chineso: but they ask that the work Greek

In Classical Chinese, for Seniors only the book set for this year is the Lun-Yu in Modern Chinese, for Juniors only, will consist of unprepared translation from Chinese, just into English, and from

Faithfully Yours, (Hon. Sec. Hongkong Centre.)

Queen's College, 9th Feb.

SPORTING.

Corinthian Wacht Club.

The three cups raced for on Sunday b the Corinthian Yacht Club provided some fairly good sport, though the wind was at no time very satisfactory. The fluishing times were as follows:---

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56 DIVERY mother should know that Cham- was awaiting shipment. 5 02 L' berlain's Cough Remedy is perfectly 10 00 safe for children to take, as it contains the natives, and the smoking has not 10 05 nothing harmful For sale by all chemists materially decreased in Hainan. and store recpetted

A. O. D. Gourdin and W. H. Potts be though the valuable hints that might have Hrom Tuesday, Hebruary re-elected auditors for the ensuing year. been gained from the talk of those Hrom Tuesday, Hebruary The Chairman :- That concludes the could not but feel a thrill of excitement | FIRST-CLASS TIFFINS SERVED AT BERTOLONE

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PULPIT ECHOES.

On Sunday the Rev. C. H. Hickling at Justoms on Monday, thirteen native Union Church spoke on "Making the most been that 'the life of the ages' was some-Mr A. H. Harris, Commissioner of thing in the future, the distant future only. Customs, made the presentation and refer- The New Testament makes it clear that red in happy terms to their great bravery | it is the present experience of all who come into agreement with God; it goes on deve-The names of the recipients are as fol- loping as obedience to the will of God becomes more deep and comprehensive : it ends only when God ends.

When a rich young man asked Him the same question he referred to the commandments and then amidst the self-complacency of his amiable respectability He applied a lancet which cut into his 'covetousness. which was idelatry."

In this case it was a lawyer. Jesus did not overwhelm him with references to the law and precedents but got him to answer Sir James and Lady Erskine, on Monday his own question-showing Himself to be

General Broadwood, Commodore, Mrs and fullest vitality of which our being is Miss Lyon, Colonel Darling, Sir Francis capable. This lawyer's life possibly felt and Lady Piggott, the Hon. Mr F. H. and cramped by his narrowness. Many in ROBINSON PIANO LD. Mrs May, Sir Henry Berkeley, K.C., the Hongkong think more of motors than of Erskine, Smith, Nugent and Clinton drinking spirits than of being filled with Baker, Colonel and Mrs Bayard, Colonel the spirit of God, more of gossip than atand Mrs Chamier, Capt Baron von Mayern tending to their household, more of fads Hohenberg, the Hon. Mr and Mrs W. J. and fizzles than philanthropy. How narrow it all seems from the hilltop of life's endowments and possibilities !

How can we make the most of life Does Jesus mean, in his further reply to the lawyer's uneasiness, that the whole answer is involved in neighbourliness such as the Good Samaritan practiced? This dietum of Jesus comprehended Theology and Religion. Life is like a public performance on the violin, in which you must learn the instrument as you go along. But in making the best of life it is essential that the relationship with the Eternal should be close and continuous. What is the Eternal? "God is Love." Love is Theology and Religion as they are in God's sight. Love to God and love to neighbour solves the great problem. Do all cultivate love to God? And what about the Neighbours's If they are pleasant and belong to our set good. But-? You and I who have breakfasted where brightness and beauty seem to be growing around, do we want to hear of people who have no breakfast or are too sick at heart to take it? Their own fault! kong currency, for every change, Is it? Is it always? Is it curable? Have you sought out the unwelcome and perhaps | Treasure Valley, by Mariou Keith. unsavoury facts? Some do to wallow in a The Other Sara, by Curtis Yorke. scandal. But to help? Are we eager to The Blindness of Virtue, by Cosmo realise the exact condition of a heathen Chinese? O! this saying of Jesus reaches high and deep, far and wide. "Go and do Stolen Sweets, by W. Le Queux.

first saw the light. He had something to The Judgment of Illingborough, by R. E. say to the lawyers and Judges of his time in respect to Chancery, Breach of Promise Red Love, by G. Wentworth James. Cases, &c. It may be well to read his Scrooge afresh, and then pass on to Mark "Keep yourselves in the love of God." The Sibyl of Venice, by Rachel Swets This will help you to keep yourselves in get into our hearts what Jesus tried to get The Web of Circumstance, by Isabel into the heart of His questioner, we shall realise that to make the most and best of life we need to cultivate love for God and man. He lives the best life, the richest life, the eternal life who is animated by the spirit of simple, serving, God-supplied, sustained Love.

Sometimes the Spirit of Christ will lead the pure-minded and true-hearted to deal with the most unsavoury problems. Some two or three years ago the China Mail by an article "The Shadow of Gomorrhah." secured the removal of flaunting brothels. In the current issue of another local paper a similar situation, which has arison, is ably dealt with. I trust with a like successful result. A refined lady, who has worshipped in this place, once went courageously into a Brothel and rescued a young man, who 22 is now an ardent Christian worker. It is 19 not what we prefer to do but what God would have us do which developes life

The Emperor of Korea retained t Secul on February 3rd. He distributed half a million copies of a Rescript discouraging ostentation and exhorting the cultivation of sincerity and the fostering of national resources. The people in North Kores are reported to be cutting off their top-knote.

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NOTES FROM HAINAN.

(From Our Own Correspondent.) Homow, February 1.

This port is just beginning to move after the Chinese Holidays. Trade during the last year has been dull owing to the cold that in all parts of the islands the price of rice is now nearly double what it was six months ago.

We hear that troops have been sent to the south of Hainau to restore order in that region, and we may hope that there will not soon be so many reports of thieving expeditions. The thieves in the south have been successful in raiding villages, and in entering in force one of the market 12 58 04 CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY towns; and we hear that at one harbour in Ngai chow pirates carried off cargo that We hear little said about opium smong

> With the opening of the schools Hainan comes an increase of taxation. In one of the towns on the east coast of Hainan the merchants determined to build a school. Permission was given by the Magistrate. Before the school was opened the management asked the Magistrate to permit them to place a tax on every load of produce of any kind entering the town. Permission was given, but the collecting of the tax was resisted by the coolies bringing in the loads, and finally the attempt to collect the tar was given up. Too often in the interior of China the introduction of western learning has been made an occasion for extorting money from these who would get little or no benefit from the school after it was built, and this with so little supervision of the scoours of the expenditors of the funds as to permit

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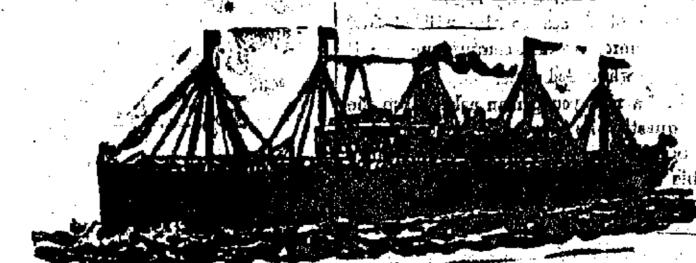
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Mishima Maru (Capt. A. E. Mosne) About Wed., 10th Feb.

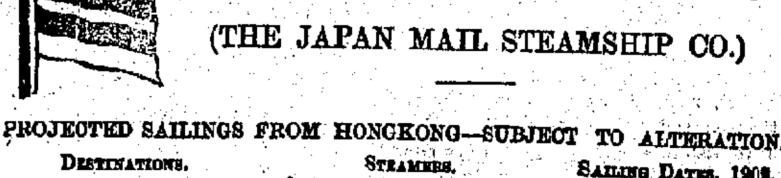
Atsuta Maru - (Capt. W. Thompsen) About Wed., 7th April. | Cargo remaining on board about p.m., MONDAY, February 8th, 1909, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and Miyasaki Maru (Capt. W. Bainbeidge) About Wed., 5th May.

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KAISHA. Hongkong. December 80, 1908.



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SAILING DATES, 1908. MARSEILLES, LONDON SANUKI MARU, (WEDNESDAY, 17th AND ANTWERP, VIA Capt. K. Homma, Tons 6112 Feb., at Daylight. SINGAPORE, PENANG,

COLOMBO AND PURT I AWA MARU, WEDNESDAY, 3rd Capt. A. Keith, March, at Daylight. VICTORIA, B.C., AND SIYO MARU, SEATTLE, Via SHANG- Capt. S.J.G. Parsons, Tons 6320 Feb., at Noon.

YOKKAICHI AND KAGA MARU, TUESDAY, 2nd Capt. G.S. Lapraik, Tons 6301 | March, at Noon. SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE, (YAWATA MARU, FRIDAY, 19th Via MANILA, THURS. Oapt. T. Sekine, Tons 3817 Feb., at Noon. DAY ISLAND, TOWNS. NIKKO MARU, FRIDAY, 19th FRIDAY, 19th VILLE AND BRISBANE. (Capt. M. Yagi, Tons 5539 | Mar., at Noon. WAGASAKL KUBE AND INIKKO MARU. (WEDNESDAY, 17 YOKOHAMA Capb. B. Swain, Tons 5539 Feb., at Noon.

BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE (1 KAGESHIMA MARU, FRIDAY, 19th. AND COLUMBO, Capt. T. Arakawa, Tons 4687 | February. HITACHI MARU, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA ... f MONDAY. 22nd Capt. F. E. Cope, Tons 6715 [Feb., at Daylight. Omitting Yokalchi, I Cargo only.

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IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTION TO CONSIGNEES.

THE Steamship

MANILA. having arrived. Consignees of cargo are nereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tressure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their rick into the hazardous and for extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-loon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon and West Point Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 14th of February, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns where they will be examined on the 13th of February. at 9.30 a.m.

All Claims must reach us before the 18th of February, 1908, or they will not be No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

ne Undersigned.
NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELCHERS & CO.,

Hongkong, February 8, 1909.

FROM EUROPE.

THE H.A.L. Steamship CONSTANTIA, Captain Habel, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their sills of Lading for counter-

signature by the Undersigned and to take tmmediate delivery of their Goods from alopæide. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowicon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., and stored at Consigness risk and expense. All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 12th inst., will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 11th inst., at 3 p.w. No Fire Insurance has been effected. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINE.

Hongkong Office. Hongkong, February 5, 1909.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONOLULU. SHANGHAI AND JAPAN.

MONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship SIBERIA. The above - named Vessel having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of Cargo from alongside.

Cargo impeding discharge of the vossel will be discharged at once, at Consignees

No Fire Insurance will be effected. All cargo undelivered FRIDAY, 12th February, 1909, at 12 Noon, will be sub-All chafed and otherwise damaged carge will be examined at the above Company's

Godowns on WEDNESDAY, 10th Feb., 1909, at 10 A.M. S. SILVERSTONE,

Hongkong, February 5, 1909. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER BRITANNIA.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong And KOWLOON WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Conowers at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon at the Goods are landed.

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Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 6 Hours. Goods not cleared by the 10th inst., at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

Damaged packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Co.'s representative at an appointed hour. All plaims must be preappeal within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No claims will be admissed after the goods have left the Godowns. E. A. HEWETT.

Buperintendent Hongkong, February 4, 1909.

TOTO KISEN KAISHA NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM SAN FRANCISCO, HONDLULU, RHANGHAI AND JAPAN.

CONSIGNERS of CARGO per Steamship NIPPON MARU

The above pamed Vessel having arrived, Conseques of Cargo are breely notified to send I know Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery from alongside.

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THE Company's Steamship

(aptain LANCEUM, will be despatched for the above ports on or about MONDAY, the 15th February.
P. DE CHAMPMORIN,

Hongkong, February 8, 1909.



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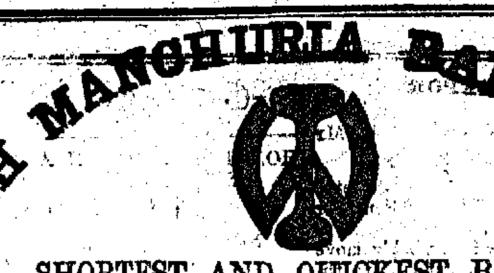
WEEK DATE.

7.00 a.m. to 7.30 a.m....Every 50 minutes 7.30 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. ... Every 10 minutes 9.30 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minute 11.30 s.m. to 12.45 p.m.. Every 15 minutes 12.45 r.m. to 1:15 p.m... Every 10 minutes 1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Rvery 15 minutes 1.45 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. Every 10 minuts 2,15 p.m. to 3,00 p.m., Every 15 minutes 3.80 n.m. to 5.00 p.m... Every 16 minutes 5.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes BIGHT CARA

8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., 9.45 p.m. to 11.1 p.m. every half hour. SUNDAYS.

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WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Ma Big of the Hongkong Observatory :--On the 9th at 11.55 a.—The barometer has risen in E. Japan, and failen over Chins and the Locchoos. A depression, which will probably move towards N.E., has developed to the South.

ward of the latter area. Pressure is highest over China to the Morth of the Yangtze. Moderate to fresh monsoon may be expected in the Formosa Channel and the N

part of the China Sea. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.60 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon merrow :-

FORECAST DISTRICT. 1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood: N. to N.E. winds, moderate to fresh; rainy at first, probably improving later. 2. Formosa Channel: Same as No. 1. 3.—South coast of China between Honghoug and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. 4. South coast of China between Honghong and Hainan : Same as No. 1.

To-day's Advertisemen

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TYPIST. State Age, Salary and Experience.

Care of CHINA MAIL OFFICE. Hougkong February 9, 1909.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-1 tions to Sell by Public Anotion, TO-MORROW (WEDNESDAY), the 10th February, 1909, commencing at 2,45 P.H., at his SALES ROOMS,

DUDDELL STREET,-A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE JEWELLERY, Comprising: DIAMOND RINGS (Solitaires and others),

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GEO. P. LAMMERT, Austioneer. Hougkong, February 9, 1909.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions from F. SCHWARZEOFF, Esq., so Sell by Public Auction,

THURSDAY, the 11th February, 1909, at 11 A M., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Das Vœux Road Corner of Ice House Street,-

SUNDRY TALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Comprising :-SILE TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUIRE, TEAKWOOD OVERMANTELS WITH BE-VELLED GLASS, MARBEL-TOP SIDEBOARD with 111488, DINNER WAGGONS, GLASS, CROCKERY and R.-P. WARE, ENGRAVINGE, WATER OLOURS and OIL PAINTINGS, TRAK-WOOD WARDROBES with BEVELLED GLASS. MARBLE-TOP BURBAU with BEVELLED GLASS, AMERICAN BEDSTEAD and BEDDING, TRAKWOOD BOOKCASES. AMERICAN ROLL. On London-FOR DESE. TEARWOOD EXTENSION DINING Table and Chairs, Monocoo-Coverno DINING ROOM SUITE, a quantity of CANTON BLACKWOOD WARE, HEATING STORES, FLOWER STANDS, &c., &c.

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Hongkong, February 9, 1909.

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FIGHE Undersigned has received instructions from J. B. Scott, Esq., to Sell by Public Auction.

MONDAY the 15th February, 1909, commencing at 2.45 P.M., at his Residence, GLENTHORNE,

Kowloon (back of Canton Villas),-

A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD On Shanghai-FURNITURE,

BLACKWOOD, CURIOR, TENNIS NETS and Poles, Garden Seats, Stone Rollers, and a Large Quantity of Plants in Pors (Particulars from Catalogue). TERMS :-- Cash on delivery. On View from Saturday, the 13th Feb.

GEO. P. LAMMERT, Austioneer. 190 Chinese Sub. Coin Hongkong, February 9, 1909.

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Hongkong, May 2, 1908,

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To-day's Advertisements

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FIGHE DIVIDEND of \$1.25 per Share, declared at the ORDINARY HALF-EARLY MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS, held this day, will be Payable at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on and after 1UESDAY, the 9th February, 1909. Shareholders are requested to apply to

he Office of the Company for Warrants. By Order of the Board of Directors, W. E. CLARKE,

Hongkong, February 9, 1909.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAL BANK ING CORPORATION. ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in

this Corporation will be held at the UITS HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 20th day of February, 1909, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors together with a State-Competent STENOGRAPHER and ment of Accounts to 31st December, 1908. By Order of the Court of Directors. J. R. M. SMITH. Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 9, 1909.

SHIPBUILDERS OF HONGKONG. NNUAL DINNER to be held at the HONGKONG HOTEL

FRIDAY, February 26th, 1909. MEMBERS desirous of attending please communicate with the Secretary at an early

Hongkong, February 9, 1909.

A List is also posted in the Institute

SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. AND KOBE.

THE Steamship ALDENHAM

parched as above on THURSDAY, the 11th Mr., Mrs and Miss Brockelbank, Rev. and inst., at Daylight. fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerat | child, Mr J. Andrew, Master Shekury, Dr ing Chamber which ensures the supply of and Mrs Peill and child, and Mr H. T. Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the Howard. From Yokohams : for Brindisi,

the Electric Light. geon are carried. N.B.—To assure the additional comfort | Sydney, H. Neville, C. F. Cooke, Geech, of passengers the steamers of the Company L. Lowndes, M. McLeod, and S. Shrout, have electric fans fitted in staterooms. For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 9, 1909.

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Hongkong Sub. Coin RINGSCARRE MOTEL Mr H. R. Hont Mr E. Arndt Mr. A. R. Austin Capt. K.D. Hutchison. Mrs H. Bossley R.G.A. Mrs Hutchison and Mr F. Bevington Mr and Mrs M. F. children Mr A. Röbler MrJ. I. R. Brank Mr E. A. Käster Mr T. K. Brownrigg Mrs & Miss Langetein Mr L. V. Langatehn Mr H. Balmer Mr J. D. Butcher Mr and Mrs A. C. Butter Mrs Butcher Logan Mr and Mrs W. L. Mr K. S. Morrison Mr & MrsJames Reid

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Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ...\$11.15

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...4 %p.m.

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SOMETHING GOOD:

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. February 9. Nyones, British str., 4,180, H. S. Braddiaw, Yokohama Jan. 27, and Shanghal

Feb. 6, General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. Luizow, German str., 5,135, C. Dewers, Yokohama Jan. 30, and Shanghai Feb. 6. Mails, Silk and General.—MELOHERS & Co. Laisang, British str., 2,224, F. Wheeler, Calcutte and Singapore Feb. 2, General .-JAEDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongwan I. British steamer, 2,060, G. Kinghorn, Singapore Feb. 1. General .-

Deucation, British steamer, 4,476, J. Riepenhausen, Yokohama and Shanghai Feb. 6. General.—Butterpield & Swife. Bujun Maru, Japanese steamer. 1,811, Y. Fuseno, banghai, via Foochow, Amoy and Swatow Feb. 8. General. - O. S. K. Choshun Maru, Japanese str., 1,303, T. Suruga, Shanghai, via Foochow, Amoy and

Swatow Feb. 8. General.—O. S. K.

Reher, Bangkok and Swatow Feb 8, Rice and Wood .- BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Singan, British str., 1,047, F. Jamieson, Hainhong and Hoihow Feb. 7. General.— BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

DEPARTURES.

February 9. Nippon Mary, for Shanghai and San Fran-Kwanasa, for Amoy. Kwongsang, for Canton. Yeboshi Maru, for Shanghai. INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS AND | Taiwin, I'r Canton, Triumph, for Hoihow. Chenan, for Canton. Hailan, for Swatow. Kwangtah, for hanghai, Merapi, for Amoy.

> Hanyang, for Tsingtau. CLEARED. Wakamatsu Maru, for Wakamatsu. Esang, for Shapghai. Numer for Singapore and London. Deucation, for Singapore and London. Shacksing, for Amoy.

Tean, for Manila.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Nyanza, from Shanghai : for Hong-FOR SHANGHAI, MOJI, YOKOHAMA | kong, Surgeon W. Archibald, Messrs G. Ellen, J. Viney, M. Spain, E. F. Scull, and Capt. Vanghan; for Penang, Miss E. St. Barbe, for Colombo, Mr and Mrs Hawkine ; for Masseilles, Mrs and Master Captain Sr. John George, will be de- Macfarlane and 2 children; for London, Mrs E. F. Gedye and 3 children, Mr C. G. This well-known Steamer is specially McCormick, Mr and Mrs Cecil Smith and Mr and Mrs F. Pellard, Dr and Mrs R. F. This Steamer is installed throughout with Bate, Misses C. A. Rooke, F. Hamer, B. Forsyth, H. Vaughan, J. Harcourt, L. A Stewardess and a duly qualified Sur- Forsyth, and D. Forsyth, Mr and Mrs D. Vigors, Messrs R. H. Smith, C. Vane, T.

> From Kobe : for London, Messrs H. Rankin and F. E. White. Per Laisang, from Calcutta, &c., Mr F. Woodhouse, Lieuts. C. S. D'Aguils, 198 D. McL. Slater, Webb Bowen, Mr W. D.

and Mrs Konig and child. Per Lutzow, for Hongkong : from Yakohama, Messrs L. Haner, Mr W. S. Haner, and P. Kluck; from Kobe, Mr Lothar Ullmann, Miss Julia Emery, Messre H. Edo. W. L. Nilson; from Nagasaki, Mr M. H. Michael, and Miss N. Jewra; from Shaughai, Messra W. G. Pirie, C. R. Mrs T. W. Sutterle, Mr M. Speelman, by all vessels sailing for SHANGHAL. Mr R. C. Toeg, Mr, Mrs and Master Barff, Messrs R. C. Radorel, J. Moosa, A. A. Brady, W. F. Wenyon, Wayland, M. Magee, M. Lippert, Mrs E Robins, Mrs Wadagoursky, Messrs A. Abins, D. M. Gregor, Mr J. Hutton and Skala. For Europe : from Yokohama, Mr O. M. Poole, Mr E. V. Rien, Miss Florence Harrison, Dr J. Albert Beam, Mesers G. E. Green. and George Whitney; from Kobe, Mr and Mrs F. W. Haward, Mr and Mrs J. D. Rust, Mr C. Paget, and Mrs F. Deane from Shanghai, Mr Louis Ducobu, Mr O. G. Bennet, Miss M. C. Lechlan, Mrs Ros. Miss Donnelly, Mrs N. G. Maitland and 2 children, Mr A. Kahn, Mr M. Levy, Mr. Mrs and Master E. Mirow, Dr and Mrs E. A. Keen and six children, Dr and Mrs W E. Esendero, Miss Martina Torres, Messre | For SINGAPORE. -Ratke, E. K. Pagh, M. Heimovitch, Dutortre, Jean Kaltenbach, Ramackers, Masy Docquier, M. Grunfeld, Mr Jos. Diss, Mrs L. Arestina, Baker and Foamar. Per Singan, from Haiphong, &c., Messre

I. W. Taylor and E. Martin. PASSENGERS EXPECTED. The following is a list of passengers ex-

Per Prinzess Alice, due 11th Feb.-Messrs H. Kaufmann, F. Ellendt, A. C. Lutz, A. Ahr, E. T. Young, K. Zeddress, Klein, Preuss, Col. and Mrs K. E. Lean, Mr and Mrs Ch. Komaroff, Mr and Mrs A. J. van Hoorn, Mr and Mrs M. E. Guy, Mr and Mrs V. Musso, Miss M. Sohns, Mr R. Reinmann, and Rev. G. Greszat. Per Kleist, due Feb. 25. - Messrs R. Germann, R. Richter, A. Wagner, Major and Mrs Dann, and Miss Dann, Mr Courvosier Gallet and family, and Mrs Waldhausen.

VESSELS AT THE DOOKS. 44 Kordoon .- H. M.S. Whiling, Talshan, Tarlac, Bangkek, M. de Batan, H.M.S. Flora, Lockson. Cosmopolitan.-Haiyang.

Aberecen. Temperature. Hongkong, Feb. 9, 1909. 30,10 1 P.M. HERHMETEE-Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. Do. 1 P.M. 4 P.M. Do. Maximum Do. Minimum over night

HOW A SOUTH AMERICAN MER-CHANT WARDED OFF AN ATTACK OF PNEUMONIA. THERE is always cause for a serm when a severe cold is accompanied by pain in

the chest. Mr H. D. La Grange, who is believes Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is pluded in this contract mail.) He says ... I had a boy in my employ ... ho had been authoring from cold and a pain in

SCEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. Sanuary 22, Lacries, Ningehow, Tourans. January 28, Gamorganshire, Hitachi Maru. Kouangsi.

January 29, Tudor Prince, Chinque, Morrane, Sicilia, February 2, Antilochus, Austria, Benlawers, Diomed, Indramayo, Kuisow, Palma, Scandia February b. Kleist Derflinger, Sado Maru, Alel ous, Berlomond, Dardanus, Pingruey. Kamakura Maru, Nera.

The P. M. S. S. China sailed from Yokohama on the oth February, and is Mr Descamp dus to arrive at this port via Kobe, Mr J. Somerville Mr. H. Philbey Nagasaki and Shanghai on the 14th Dobie February. is C. P. R. Co.'s 8.8. Empress of India Mr R. L. Killett left Vancouver on Thursday, the 28th Mr. O. Esdale

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

usual ports of call. O. P. R. Co & s.s. Montengle ar Mr S. F. Fischer rived at Yokohama at 3 p.m. on Mr Denman Fuller Saturday, the 6th February, and left Mr H. E. Gibson again at moon on Sunday for Kobe, Mr.O. A. Graham Wong-koi. German steamer, 1,115, W. where she is due to arrive at 6 p.m., Mr R. A. Gubbay. on Monday, the 8th February.

> Expected. The E & A. steamer Aldenham from Mr Hardo Sydney, &c., left Manila on the 7th Mr C. V. Hayes on 10th February atdaylight. The steamship Zafire left Manila on Sun- Capt. R. Innea day evening, the 7th February, and is Mr & Mrs B. Konig Tracey due here on or about Wednesday, the and child 1 th February, at daylight.

Moji, left Moji on the 8th February, Miss Landale and may be expected here on or about the 11th February, s.m. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Palawan left Singapore for this port on the 7th Feb., at 7 a.m., and is due here at about noon, Dr Autrey the 13th February.

The N. Y K. s.s. Nikko Maru (Australian | Mr Bagshawe Live) left Thursday Island for this Surg. & Mrs BeadnellMr and Mrs Joseph port via Manila on the 4th February, Col. and Mrs BedfordMr H. W. Kent and is expected here on the loth Feb. Mrs Bickap The Glen Line s.s. Glenroy left Singapore Mr and Mrs J. F. Mr Albert E. Lanning on the 5th February, and may be

February. The H. A. L. a.s. Dortmund left Singa- Miss Campbell pore on the 4th February, p.m., and Mr Corlill may be expected here on or about Mrand Mrs Cousland Montfield the Lith February.

expected to arrive here on the 11th

Said on the 11th January, and may be Mr A. Davidson expected here on er about the middle | Capt. & Mrs Dooner Mr T. L. Perkins of this month. The Ben Line steamer Benglos from Ant. Rev. and Mrs DallasLt. Col. Reid werp and London, left Singapore on the 2nd February, for this port. The s.s. Gymeric sailed from Puget Sound

25th January. Latest Advices. American and Oriental Line's B.S. Norman Prince from New York, will leave Tourane on or about the 15th Mr H. Hansock

on the 18th idem. FRENCH MAIL of the 11th January, left Mr & Mrs Van Houten Dr Fitz Williams Singapore on Monday, the 8th Feb., at 5.30 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 15th February. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 12th Dec.

McLaren, Mr J. K. Ohl, Mrs Park, Mr The Imp. German Mail s.s Princess Alice Major Mrs Camillari Miss M. E. Mallony January, left Singapore on Monday, doir the 8th Feb., at 8 a.m., and may be Mr G. H. Corse expected here on or about Friday, the Mrs Orowlie 12th February, at 4 p.m.

Correspondence for EUROPE via Burkill, Kauptmann Scherings, Mr and SIBERIA, is forwarded from HONGKONG Miss Erskine

Approximate times of closing mails a Shanghai via Dainy and Siberia. 19th February......at 7.45 a.m. 25th February.....st 8.15 p.m. 5th March 7 45 a.m.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will Close : -

For HONGAY.-Per Phuyen, et 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 10th Feb. For TSINGTAU, CHEFOO & VLADI-VOSTOCK.— Per Tungus, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 10th Feb.

Per Desculion, at 10 a.m., on Wednesday, the 10th Feb. For MACAU. -

Per Sui Tru, at 1.15 p.m., on Wednes day, the 10th Feb. for Singapore, Penang & Co LOMBO.— Por Mishima Maru, at 10 a.m., on Wed- Mr C. H. Bruco nesday, the 10th Feb.

For PAKHOI & HAIPHONG. Per Singan, at 9 a.m., on Thursday, the 11th Feb. for Singapure, Penang & Cai CUTTA.--Per Fooksang, at 11 a.m., on Thursday, the 11th Feb.

For SHANGHAI. Per Chenan, at S p.m., on Thursday, the For AMOY & STRAITS. Per Glenogle, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, Mr W. Harmston

the 11th Feb. For ANGAURIKORROR, YAP, SAIPAN, LAMUTRIK, TRUK, PONAPE. KUSAIE, BUTARITARI, JALUIT, Mr James Hobb TARAWA, OCEAN ISLAND. NAURU, SIMP-ONHAFEN, SYD NEY, | HOBART, LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND & DUNEDIN. Per Germania, at 11 a.m., on Friday

the 12th Feb. MAILS BY THE GREMAN PACKET,-German Contract Packet Lutzon Mr E. G. Dale will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. Mr W. J. Daniel the 10th February, with Mails for Mr F. W. Daniel the United Kingdom, the Continent of Mr F U. Davles Europe and countries beyond, vid Mr R. E. Davies Brindin : to the Straits Settlements, Mr E. W. Day Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, (via Mr Andree Gaudes Tuticoriu), Aden, Egypt, Malta, do., Mics A. K. Genry Printed Mather and Samples at 10 a.m. Mr V. Goulborn Registration at 10 s.m.

Registration, Kowloon B.O., 10 a.m. Mr W. Hone No late fee, Letters at 11 a.m. Late Letters 11' to 11.80 a.m. Extra Lieut. Kimm Me H. Kuben (Letters posses in all the Pillar Boxes Mr S. Lack manager of a store at Jansenville, C.C., in time for the first plearance will be in Mr and Mrs Lane Mr J. Woods

10 to 10.45 a.m.

EVERY BOTTLE GUARANTEED. HAMBERLAIN'S Cough Remedy is the chies, and got so had he had to go to good when you first take cold; good bed. I had the dotter attend him and used your cold is saaked and your langs several other remedies, but hage? no better are sore; good when you estimate all discontinuations. The sale by all chemists are not included the same of the cough Remedy and if you are not satisfied the Bright May Cough Remedy and if you are not satisfied the Bright May Cough Remedy and if you are not satisfied the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not satisfied to the Bright May Remedy and if you are not

VISITORS AT HOTELS.

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January, p.m. for Hongkong, via the Mr F. Rerom Mr W. Schering Mr W. Farquharson Miss M. Sells Mr E. W. Bells Mr A. J. Skinn Mr M. Speelman Mr J. Spittles Mr W. T. Stabbing Mr A. Hall Rev. A. J. Sterens Capt. T. P. Hall Mr and Mrs F. Mr L. Hallward Sutterle M A. Temperley

Mr H. P. Thomas February, at 7 p.m., and is due here Mr P. E. Hearmann Mr A. Thompson Hon. Mr E. A. Hewett Mr R. E. Toeg Judge and Mrs J. Y Mc C. Wallach Mr G. M. Lack Mr W F. Wenyon The s.e. Japan from Yokohama, Kobe and Mrs Landale Mr F. G. Whittick Mr G. Willey Miss M. Wolfson

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